The Tone of the Day's Dealings Was Dull and Indifferent.

#### ACTIVITY IN A FEW STOCKS

NEW YORK, December 18.—The at-mosphere of the hofidays began to gather about the Stock Exchange today and the tone of the dealings became dull and indifferent. The opera-

came dull and indifferent. The operations showed some of the favorite devices of professional manipulation to be in force, and the whole market gave clear evidence of its narrow professional limitations.

Activity was congested in a few stocks and in these the action was irregular and not ruled by any consistent motives. Any signs of strength in one part of the list was taken advantage of to sell stocks at another. There was a rather general show of strength at the outset in continuation of the movement among the bears to cover up their shorts, Meantlime, stocks which have been made the engine of the bulls in lifting prices against the shorts began to show the effects of the retreat of the bull party. A sharp tdyance in the London price of Coiper was a feature of the day's news, loiders of stocks were not subjected to any great pressure by lenders or money, but the east tone of the call loan market is attributed to the keeping of funds in hand for the needs of the end of the year. The time tmoney market is almost wholly nonlinal yet and there is almost wholly nonline was an active demand again for emittances to London. Not much of arily gains were left at the end of the lay.

lay, Bonds were steady. Total sales, par raine, \$2,136,000. United States bonds were unchanged

on call.
Total sales of stocks to-day were
155,900 shares.

NEW YORK, December 13.—Money on call firm, 71-2@12 per cent.; ruling rate, 8 1-2; closing bid, 7; offered at 8. Time loans dull and unchanged; stays, 12@14, and ninety days, 10 per cent.; six months, 8 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 8 per cent. Sterling, exchange stronger, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4,8635@14.8945 for sixty-day bills. Commercial bills, \$4,80@\$4,8015. Bar silver, 13 3-4. Mexican dollars, 47. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds steady.

#### RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

SALES AT BOARD.

Virginia Centuries—200 at 91; 100 at 91.

STATE SECURITIES. Bid. Asked.

Va 3s, Old. C. and R., 1932. 90 91

Va Centuries, 2-3, C. and R., 90 911;

RAILROAD BONDS.

A C L. R. R. Con. Tr. 4 p. c., \$4 ...

Ceolgia, Sou. and Fla., 1945. 100 ...

Ga. and Ala. Con. 5s, 1945. ... 99

NCT. and West. Ry. 4s, 1996. 92

Ner. and West. Ry. 90ca. 4s., 75

Western N. C. 1st 6s, C, 1914. 105

RAILROAD STOCKS.

Atlantic Coast Line com. 106 65
Ches. and Ohio. Nov. 100 50
Nor. and Western com. 100 64
BAND AND TRUST CO. STOCKS.
Merchants' National . 100 510
National Bank of Va. 100 112
National State Bank. 100 172
MISCELLANEOUS.
Amer. Teb. pfd. 5 p. c. 100 684

Amer. Tob. pfd. 6 p. c. . . 100 6312
Amer. Locomotive pfd. . . . . . 60
Amer. Tob. 4 p. ct. bonds. . . . 60
Amer. Tob. 6 p. ct. bonds. . 93 93
Vg.-Car. Chem. pfd. 8 p. ct. 100 15
Va.-Car. Chem. com. . . . . 100 16

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET. FALTIMORE, MD., December 19.—Hea-brard Air Line, common and preferred— Nohting doing.

#### COTTON MARKETA

Nothing doing

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, December 19—The cotton lowers and the series of the consideration of the lower series of the lower serie

Cotton, steady; middling, 11.70; net rehipts, 6.3 bales; aross, 9.403 bales; sales,
105 bales; stock, 123,388 bales.
105 bales; stock, 123,388 bales.
Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts,
14.862 bales; export to reat Britain, 3.781
beles; to France, 19.409 bales; to the Continent, 10.250 bales; stock, 599,919 bales; to
Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts,
11.332 bales; export to Great Britain, 141,
141 bales; to France, 24.825 bales; to the
Continent, 93,036 bales; to Japan, 1,602
sales,
Total since September 1s; at all ports—
Net receipts, 4.379,231 bales; export to Great
Britain, 1,591,312 bales; to France, 299,65
byles; to the Continent, 1,377,887 bales; to Japan, 47,
113 bales; to Mexico, 1,030 bales.

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Investment Securities.

### OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALE OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

By Thomas Branch & Co., Bankers and Brokers.

SALES:		Open.	High.	Low.			SALES:	pen.	High.	Low.	Bid. Aske	
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changed; middling, 11½c. Sales were 1.815 belies on the spot and 3.325 to arrive. Futures opened steady, 293 points below the close of vesterday, 293 points below the pointing Liverpool market Pollowing the pointing Liverpool market Pollowing the chemical pointing Liverpool market Pollowing the chemical control of the Rest steers, 525 kg.; medium to good, 444 cp.; medium to good, 444 cp.; medium to good, 344 cp.; points, and this was succeeded by a period of duliness, during which the rain was lost, ratures at noon being quotien about the chemical control of the Rest steers, 525 kg.; old, poor cows, 10 cm at noon being quotien about the chemical control of the Rest steers, 434 cp.; hulls, 2933kc; best cows, 334 235c; toture as the control of the Rest steers, 434 cp.; hulls, 2933kc; best cows, 334 235c; toture common to fair, 232 233kc; best cows, 334 235c; toture common to fair, 242 233kc; best cows, 334 235c; toture common to fair, 242 233kc; best cows, 334 235c; toture common to fair, 242 233kc; best cows, 334 235c; best cows, 334 245c; best

CHICAGO, ILL., December 19.—CATTLE—Receipts about \$.000 head. Market firm and 10 for 150. higher. Steers, \$3.90 @6.25; cows. \$2.75 44.30; heldres, \$2.50 45.25; bulls, \$2.60 @4.90; calves, \$3.27.00; stockers and feedure, rs, \$3.34.50. Hoggs—Receipts estimated at alout 48.000 head. Market 15 @250, lower. Choice, heavy shipping, \$4.40 @4.50; butchers, \$4.40 @4.50; light, mixed, \$4.35 @4.40; cloice, light, \$4.40 @4.50; light, \$3.75 %15; bulk of sales, \$4.30 @4.40. Sheep—Receipts estimated at about 19.900 head. Market weak and lower. Sheep, \$2.24.50; lambs, \$5.40 @6.15; yearlings, \$4.74.65. NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, December 19.—PLOUR-Steady with a quiet trade. Rye Flour-Steady Buckwheat Flour—Quiet. Commeil ann! Rye—Steady. Wheat—Spot steady! No. 2 red, \$1.04% elevator. Options not unchanged. December, \$1.06%! May, \$1.11%; July, \$1.05%. Corn—Spot market easy! No. 2, 71%c. elevator. Options 1½@1½c. net lewer. May, \$515.C. Oats—Spot mixed, \$55. Ever and Cut Meats—Steady. Lard—Bare-19 steady. Fertoleum—Firm. Rosin—Steady. Fertoleum—Firm. Rosin—Steady. Steady. Cart—Bare-19 steady. Steady. Steady. Steady. Cart—Rosina, \$3.26 & 3.35; centrifugal, 96 tast standy. Cartes—Spot quiet; Rio, No. 7, 6½c.; Santos. No. 4, 8c.; mild. steady. Cordova, 9½@132. Futures net unchanged to 5c. lower, Cottuseed Oil—Easy under larce raceipts sudbear pressure. Prime crude, 30c.; prime summer yellow, 33% 25%c.; prime white, 37, \$11c.; off summer yellow, 33% 25%c.; prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 45@45c. prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 35% 25%c.; prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 35% 35%c. prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 45@45c. prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 35% 35%c.; prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 35% 35%c.; prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 35% 35%c.; prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 35% 35%c.; prime white, 37, \$11c.; prime winter yellow, 35% 35%c.; prime white, 37, \$11c.; pr

NEW YORK. December 19—BEEVES—Receipts, 235 head. Calves-Receipts, 235 head. Calves-Receipts, 239 head. Common to close vals, 8525.75 per 100 pounds; Westerns, 02 4.73. City dressed at 88124c. Sheep and Lambs-Receipts, 452 head. Common to choice sheep, 456 4.75 per 100 pounds; ordinary to prime lambs at 8627.00. Hogs-Receipts, 2,913 head. Feeling weak.

### MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS,

PEANUTS
PEANUTS
PETERSURG, VA., Dec. 19.—PEANUTS
Susnish-Market firm at \$0c per bushel
Virginias-Market firm at \$\$\pi\$\_{ic}\$, for fancy
stock.

DRY GOODS MARKET. DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, December 19.—Trade in dry coods was generally quiet, although the inquiry showed some alight inhuprovement in different quarters. New orders are being creelved on printed goods. Some business is oftered in sheetings, but buvers want vey low ligures. Men's wear goods are quiet and it. W. lines are making little headway. Raw slik is easier. Cotton yarns show a slightly firmer tendency.

SAVANNAH, GA., December 19.—THR-PENTINE—Quoted at 424@423(c.; sales, 1,105 casks; receipts, 988 casks; shipments, 5:231 casks. Rosin—Firm; sales, 2,940 barrels; receipts, 2,406 barrels; shipments, 8,714 berrels; stock, 113,429 barrels. A. B. C. \$19563.60.

#### MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Steamer Berkeley, Shelly, Norfolk, mer-chandled and passengers, Old Dominion Line

#### TRADE REPORT

Bradstreet's on Saturday will say for Flickmond and vicinity;

"The encouraging feature of trade conditions this week is the increase in sales by retailers, due to the approach of the holiday season. All lines share in the activity, and the season, while a triffe later than usual in reaching full sway, will be favorable. Dealers in produce roport a marked improvement in conditions and a considerable increase in volume of business. In herdware and mill supplies duliness prevails as is usual at this period, but in sporting season of the season of satisfactory volume Status and active of satisfactory volume Status and active of satisfactory volume factors and mill supplies duliness prevails have been reacted in so, have an electrical and the season of the season, and the market shows signe of increasing strength. Manufacturers of vine gar and otder have had a favorable season. Financial conditions generally continue to improve, and collections, while backward in some lines, maintain the relative improvement of the past two or three weeks." 

Warehouses Close for Holidays.

After to-day the doors of the to-bacco warehouses will be closed until the first Tuesday in January when, from present indications, the sales will begin with renewed vigor. The fall season has been unusually satisfactory both as to prices, quality and amount of receipts. The closing prices yesterday were very strong, and the day was one of the best of the season. The outlook for the winter sales is very bright, and dealers are advising shippers to put their tobacco on the market as everything points to a steady demand.

Stock Brokers

BICHMOND GRAIN MARKET,

No. 3 (car lots)...... 88
No. 3 (car lots)..... 86
Virginia (bag lots)..... 85

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GEO. T. KING & CO.

| Richmond, Va. December 19, 197; | WHAN | WHEAT-| No 2 red, Wern (car lots) | 041.05 | No. 3 red (va. lots) | 1.04 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 05.05 | 1114 E. Main Street, Richmond, Va. STOCKS COTTON

GRAIN, PROVISIONS Special attention given out-of-town accounts.
Correspondence solicited.

FAST PRIVATE WIRES Stock Ticker in Customers' Room CATTLE MARKETS.

SILENIADND CATTLE MARKET.
(Sales at Union Stock Yards.)
Richmond, Vs., December 19, 1997.

Strangers visiting the city are cordially invited to make our office their headquarters and have mail and wires gent in our care,

## Daily Court Record

City Circuit Court. The case of Henry L. Poore, who sues, etc., vs. the Passenger and Pow-er Company was partially heard and went over until to-day.

Chancery Court. John S. Gregory and W. H. Herbig qualified as executors of the estate of Jas. W. Gregory, which is valued at \$1,100.

Law and Equity.

Law and Equity.

Decrees entered yesterday: Louisa W. Flournoy vs. Mary M. Milisaps et als., distribution of the fund under the control of the court.

Suits instituted yesterday: A. H. Thomas vs. Jos. Billey for \$50; C. H. Dorset vs. same for \$32.

Instructions argued: The court heard argument on instructions in the case of the Richmond Woodworking Company vs. M. M. Straus, and the matter went over until to-day.

Hustings Court.

Henderson Taylor, colored, was tried for robbery and acquitted.

One New Charter.

One New Charter.

The State Corporation Commission its issued a charter to the Levy Peartit Company (Inc.), Petersburg, Myer Stal., president; Sidney Fischer, socretary and treasurer; Emanuel Levy—all of Petersburg, Capital, maximum, \$25,000; minimum, \$5,000. Objects; Peanut business.

New Officers Qualify To-Morrow Judge Scott will open a special term of Henrico Circuit Court to-morrow morning for the purpose of qualifying the recently-elected county officers, who will assume their duties on the 1st of January.

#### HAD THRILLING ESCAPE

In the Law and Equity Court to-day the case of Robert Cochran vs. the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Com-

Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company will be called.

The plaintiff alleges that while walking along the tracks of the defendant company at Quinnimont, W. Va. his foot became hung in a defective guardrail; that a train was rapidly approaching, and that all efforts on his part to extricate his foot proved futile. He sets out further that it became a question of being killed by the train or breaking his limb. Choosing the lesser cvil. he leaned his whole weight sudenly in the opposite direction from the track, thus saving his life, but suffering the amputation of his leg by the passing train. The plaintiff is suing for \$15,000 damages. He is represented by Mr. L. O. Wendenburg.

Blds Close Together.

In their bids for office supplies at the City Hall for the coming year the Southern Stamp and Stationery Company and the Bell Book and Stationery Company were found to be only 7 cents a part on the entire contract.

This is remarkable when it is considered that the advertisement calls for a great variety of articles, and bids are submitted on each one separately.

Colored Theatre.

Colored Theatre.

The Empire Theatre in North Second Street is being attended by a large number of people who are curlous to see what the great Trancs Temple looks like Professor Corosta, who is to put the subject to sleep, has not reached the city as yet, but is expected here to-night.

The Obera, "The Bride-Elect." by Sousa, will fill a one-night's engagement at the Empire Theatre next week,

Mr. Gilbert to Run Mr. E. H. Glibert, proprietor of the Hotel Glibert, has announced his can-didacy for a seat in the Common Coun-cil from Madison Ward.

#### Rotices. TAX NOTICE

Office Collector of City Taxes, Room 7, First Floor, City Hall, Richmond, Va., Dec. 1, 1907, Notice to Taxpayers

Notice to laxpayers

THE LAST HALF OF CITY TAXES,
REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL, for
1907, is NOW DUE AND PAYABLE at
this office.

EVERY male twenty-one years of
age, and EVERY person keeping house
or doing business in the city, is assessed for personal taxes. Those who
have not paid any city taxes during
the year will please call and settle, so
as to avoid being posted as delinquents.

GRADING, PAVING, PIPE AND
SEWER CONNECTION BILLS are also
due, and will have to be declared delinquent if not paid on or before end
of year.

FIVE PER CENT. will be added to

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timekeeper, warranted, \$10.00.

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Piano Tuning BEST IN CITY.

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Commercial Paper Discounted and Loans Made on Segotiable Securities

# NATIONAL STATE BANK



CAPITAL AND SURPLUS PROFITS \$575,000.00

Why You Should Do Business With This Bank:

The full capital stock of a national bank must be paid in in cash. No loans can be made by this bank upon its own stock, and it cannot own or carry in any

WE PAY 5% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

The Confederate Museum

TWELFTH AND CLAY STREETS. OPEN 9 A. M. TO 5 P. M. ADMISSION, 25c.

The Valentine Museum ELEVENTH AND CLAY STREETS.
Open daily from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Admission 26 cents, Free on Saturday

1111 E. Main Street RICHMOND, - - - VIRGINIA

> It is important FOR YOU TO KNOW A Safe Depository FOR YOUR SAVINGS.

# The Bank of Commerce and Trusts

Capital, \$200,000

Offers you this and 3 per cent. Compound Interest

Savings Department.

Depository for the State of Virginia an City of Richmond.

Ninth and Main Streets.



To Insurance Men:

for any Company, as Manager, Special of Local Agent, of Broker, "Remember"

The Reliance Life Insurance Co. of Pittsburg, Pa.

is the strongest life company ever organized, issues all modern forms of policies, including Distribution, Annual Dividend (Guaranteed). Non-Participating and Sub-Standards. It has fired its own rates of Commissions, and has refused to enter into coalition, to deprive Agents or Physicians of living remuneration.

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OSCAR SWINEFORD, Manager, . Richmond, Ya.